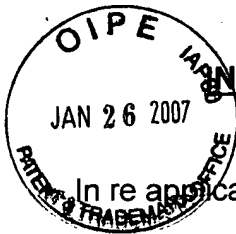


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In re application of: Steven Streatfield Gill

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AMENDMENT

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P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated October 17, 2006, Paper Number 20061011. Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time within which to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Granting the petition would extend the time for filing the Response to February 17, 2007. The appropriate petition fee of \$120 is enclosed herewith. Please amend the application as indicated below, consistent with the instructions found attached hereto:

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